Schedule of Available Funds, Disbursements, and Ending Balances - All Funds

June 30, 2007 (With Independent Auditors' Report Thereon)

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#### **Independent Auditors' Report**

To the State of Delaware
Office of Auditor of Accounts and the
Department of Health and Social Services
Division of Public Health
Office of Emergency Medical Services
Dover, Delaware

We have audited the accompanying schedule of available funds, disbursements, and ending balances - all funds (the Schedule) of the State of Delaware, Department of Health and Social Services, Division of Public Health, Office of Emergency Medical Services (the Office) for the year ended June 30, 2007. This Schedule is the responsibility of the Office's management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on the Schedule based on our audit.

We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards*, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the Schedule is free of material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the Schedule. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall Schedule's presentation. We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinion.

As described in Note A, the Office prepares the accompanying Schedule on a prescribed basis of accounting that demonstrates compliance with the cash basis and budget laws of the State of Delaware, which is a comprehensive basis of accounting other than accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

In our opinion, the Schedule referred to above presents fairly, in all material respects, the available funds, disbursements, and ending balances for all funds of the Office for the year ended June 30, 2007, on the basis of accounting described in Note A.

To the State of Delaware
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In accordance with *Government Auditing Standards*, we have also issued our report dated December 21, 2007 on our consideration of the Office's internal control over financial reporting and our tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts, grant agreements, and other matters. The purpose of that report is to describe the scope of our testing of internal control over financial reporting and compliance and the results of that testing, and not to provide an opinion on the internal control over financial reporting or on compliance. That report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with *Government Auditing Standards* and should be considered in assessing the results of our audit.

This report is intended for the information and use of the Office of Emergency Medical Service's management, Office of the Governor, Office of Controller General, Office of Attorney General, Office of Management and Budget, Office of Auditor of Accounts, and the Secretary of Finance, and is not intended to be and should not be used by anyone other than these specified parties.

December 21, 2007

Newark, Delaware

# Schedule of Available Funds, Disbursements, and Ending Balances - All Funds

For the Year Ended June 30, 2007

alances	Unencumpered	, <del>сэ</del>	•		,		300	5,401,586	5,401,886	133,229 - 57 133,286	\$ 5,535,172
Ending Balances	Encumbered	, <del>сл</del>	•	129,547	3,203	2,000		•	137,750	50,578 8,626 - 59,204	\$ 196,954
	Reverted	\$ 2,326	•	28,163	2,351	•	٠	•	32,840	6,041 10,194 7,868 24,103	\$ 56,943
	Disbursed	\$ 988,874	3,281	627,007	29,518	2,000	•	10,694,642	12,348,322	194,623 305,572 500,195	\$ 12,848,517
Total Funds	Available	\$ 991,200	3,281	784,717	35,072	10,000	300	16,096,228	17,920,798	384,471 324,392 7,925 716,788	\$ 18,637,586
	Receipts	, ↔	,	,	•		300	•	300	165,000 250,000 - 415,000	\$ 415,300
Transfers	To / (From)	\$ 148,000	•	•	•	•	(1,010)	(2,068,900)	(1,921,910)		\$ (1,921,910)
Original	Appropriations	\$ 843,200	3,200	662,300	28,000	2,000	•	12,208,634	13,750,334	1 1 1 1	\$ 13,750,334
Beginning Balances	Unencumpered	· •	1	•	,	,	1,010	5,956,494	5,957,504	164,658 10,067 7,925 182,650	\$ 6,140,154
Beginning	Encumpered		81	122,417	7,072	2,000	•	1	134,570	54,813 64,325 119,138	\$ 253,708
		GENERAL FUND Personnel	Travel	Contractual	Supplies	Capital	Miscellaneous	Paramedic services (grant-in-aid)		SPECIAL FUND Federal grants and cooperative agreements Tobacco settlement funds Other	Totals

See notes to schedule of available funds, disbursements, and ending balances - all funds.

#### Notes to Schedule of Available Funds, Disbursements, and Ending Balances - All Funds

#### **Note A - Significant Accounting Policies**

The Office of Emergency Medical Services (the Office) is a State agency under the Division of Public Health within the Department of Health and Social Services and is part of the State of Delaware's primary government reporting entity. As such, the Office's financial activities are included in the State of Delaware's Comprehensive Annual Financial Report.

The duties and responsibilities of the Office are set forth in Title 16, <u>Delaware Code</u>, Chapter 98, and involve establishing, coordinating, and monitoring a Statewide Paramedic Funding Program and acting as the State's fiscal agent for distributing grant-in-aid funds to counties that operate approved paramedic programs.

Costs of operations of the Office are funded by appropriations from the State of Delaware General Funds. The Office provides grant-in-aid funds for paramedic services to New Castle, Kent, and Sussex Counties. The funds represent 40% of each County's total operational cost for paramedic services.

The Office budgets, controls, and records its financial activities in accordance with methods and procedures prescribed by statute, which is consistent with the cash basis of accounting. In compliance with State law, the Office records its financial transactions in either of two major categories - the General Fund or the Special Fund. Unexpended appropriations at year end are available for subsequent expenditures to the extent that they have been encumbered at that date or legislatively extended for another year.

#### Note B - Grant-In-Aid Funds Disbursed by County

New Castle County	\$ 4,591,206
Kent County	1,490,765
Sussex County	4,612,671
Total	\$10 694 642

#### Notes to Schedule of Available Funds, Disbursements, and Ending Balances - All Funds (Continued)

#### Note C - Federal Grants and Cooperative Agreements

The Office receives federal assistance pursuant to various grants and cooperative agreements as described below:

Emergency Medical Services for Children Grant

A U.S. Department of Health and Human Services grant to support demonstration projects for the expansion and improvement of emergency medical services for children who need treatment for trauma or critical care.

Crash Outcome Data Evaluation System (CODES) Cooperative Agreement

Cooperative agreement with the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration (NHTSA) to develop and implement the capability of linking State crash and medical outcome data in order to identify the medical and financial consequences of motor vehicle crashes.

Rural Access to Emergency Devices Grant

A Health Resources and Services Administration funding program to help community partnerships within states to purchase and obtain training on use of Access to Emergency Devices (AEDs). A limited amount of funds may also be used for medical dispatcher training addressing the use of AEDs for the layperson until EMS arrives, maintenance costs, and data reporting costs.

Improving EMS/Trauma Care in Rural Areas

A Health Resources and Services Administration grant to public and private nonprofit entities for the purpose of carrying out research and demonstration projects with respect to improving the availability and quality of emergency medical services in rural areas.

#### Notes to Schedule of Available Funds, Disbursements, and Ending Balances - All Funds (Continued)

#### Note D - Tobacco Settlement Funds

The State of Delaware received funds as a result of the settlement of a multistate lawsuit with the tobacco industry. A portion of these funds was allocated for use by the Office for the purpose of providing public access to defibrillators.



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Report on Internal Control Over Financial Reporting and Compliance and Other Matters Based on an Audit of Financial Statements Performed in Accordance With Government Auditing Standards

To the State of Delaware
Office of Auditor of Accounts and the
Department of Health and Social Services
Division of Public Health
Office of Emergency Medical Services
Dover, Delaware

We have audited the schedule of available funds, disbursements, and ending balances - all funds (the Schedule) of the State of Delaware, Department of Health and Social Services, Division of Public Health, Office of Emergency Medical Services (the Office) for the year ended June 30, 2007, and have issued our report thereon dated December 21, 2007. We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards*, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States.

#### Internal Control Over Financial Reporting

In planning and performing our audit, we considered the Office's internal control over financial reporting as a basis for designing our auditing procedures for the purpose of expressing our opinion on the Schedule, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Office's internal control over financial reporting. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on the effectiveness of the Office's internal control over financial reporting.

A control deficiency exists when the design or operation of a control does not allow management or employees, in the normal course of performing their assigned functions, to prevent or detect misstatements on a timely basis. A significant deficiency is a control deficiency, or combination of control deficiencies, that adversely affects the Office's ability to initiate, authorize, record, process, or report financial data reliably in accordance with the basis of accounting described at Note A to the Schedule, such that there is more than a remote likelihood that a misstatement of the Schedule that is more than inconsequential will not be prevented or detected by the Office's internal control.

A material weakness is a significant deficiency, or combination of significant deficiencies, that results in more than a remote likelihood that a material misstatement of the financial statements will not be prevented or detected by the Office's internal control.

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Our consideration of internal control over financial reporting was for the limited purpose described in the first paragraph of this section and would not necessarily identify all deficiencies in internal control that might be significant deficiencies or material weaknesses. We did not identify any deficiencies in internal control over financial reporting that we consider to be material weaknesses, as defined above.

#### **Compliance and Other Matters**

As part of obtaining reasonable assurance about whether the Schedule is free of material misstatement, we performed tests of the Office's compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts, and grant agreements, noncompliance with which could have a direct and material effect on the determination of amounts included in the Schedule. However, providing an opinion on compliance with those provisions was not an objective of our audit, and accordingly, we do not express such an opinion. The results of our tests disclosed no instances of noncompliance or other matters that are required to be reported under *Government Auditing Standards*.

This report is intended for the information and use of the Office of Emergency Medical Service's management, Office of the Governor, Office of Controller General, Office of Attorney General, Office of Management and Budget, Office of Auditor of Accounts, and the Secretary of Finance, and is not intended to be and should not be used by anyone other than these specified parties. However, under 29 Del. C., Section 10002(d), this report is a public record and its distribution is not limited.

December 21, 2007 Newark, Delaware

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#### **Schedule of Current Year Findings**

June 30, 2007

There are no findings to be reported for the year ended June 30, 2007.